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ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the restriction requirement dated July 24, 2006, the following election and amendment are hereby made.

Election

Applicants hereby elect without traverse the claims from Group I, namely, claims 1 to 14.

Applicants further elect with traverse the claims from Group IF, namely, claims 9 to 14¹.

Amendments to the Specification do not appear in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings do not appear in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

Although the Office Action indicates that only claims 9 to 13 belong to Group 1F, this appears to be a mistake. In this regard, it is noted that the Examiner has not indicated any group to which claim 14 belongs and that claim 14 depends from claim 13.